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Applicant's appeal brief filed on 4/10/07 is still Non-compliant because the Summary of the Claimed Subject Matter section is still defective for the reasons specified in the Notice of Non-Compliance of 3/13/07. Applicant needs to address for means-plus-function language in the independent claim 1 with a description of the corresponding structure in the specification. This is in addition to specification, page and line number. Merely reciting means for preventing detachment of an end of tape from the hub filler during a tape unloading operation (refer to Figs. 4-5, page 6, lines 7-11; page 8, line 14-page 11, line 21) is not sufficient. The time period set in the Notice of Non-Compliance of 3/13/07 is still running. Extensions of time are available.


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